

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 14, rewrite as Claim 14 [amended] as follows:

14. [amended] An articulated joint or connection, comprised of a first object, bearing a recess to house a first sleeve, said recess largely [being of virtually any shape, and] not [required to] conforming to the shape of said sleeve, said sleeve being secured in said [channel] recess by adhesives and or adhesives with additive; said adhesives including but not limited to Epoxy, Resin, Polyester, and Water, based adhesives; with said additives including but not being limited to saw dust, iron oxide, semi precious minerals, graphite, fiberglass, kevlar, or powdered metals; said sleeve being breached axially so as to [premit] permit tangential connection between a second sleeve or solid material conforming in shape to said first sleeve, held within [first said sleeve] said first sleeve; and a third object.

Claim 15, rewrite as Claim 15 [amended] as follows:

15. [amended] An articulated joint or connection as described in claim 14 wherein:

said second sleeve or [rod] solid material [may be] is formed as an integral part of said third object.

Claim 16, rewrite as Claim 16 [amended] as follows:

16. [amended] An articulated joint or connection as described in claim 14 wherein:

said third object may contain a [resess] recess, so that the [second said sleeve] said second sleeve or solid material [may be] is affixed within said third object with adhesives, and or adhesives with additives, wherein said [resess] recess in said third object is [in] of similar geometric shape [conformity with] as said second sleeve or solid material.

Claim 17, rewrite as Claim 17 [amended] as follows:

17. [amended] An articulated joint or connection as described in claim **14** wherein:

said third object [may] contains a [recess] recess, so that the [second said sleeve] said second sleeve or solid material [may be] is affixed within said third object with adhesives, and or adhesives with additives, wherein said [recess] recess in said third object is not [in] of similar geometric shape [conformity with] as said second sleeve or solid material.

Claim 18, rewrite as Claim 18 [amended] as follows:

18. [amended] An articulated joint or connection as described in claim **14** wherein:

adhesives and or adhesives with additives are employed between said first sleeve and said second sleeve or solid material conforming in shape to said first sleeve, held within [first said sleeve] said first sleeve; making said articulated joint to function as a [ridgid] rigid connection between said first and third objects.

Claim 19, rewrite as Claim 19 [amended] as follows:

19. [amended] An articulated joint or connection, comprised of a first object, bearing a recess to house a first sleeve, said sleeve being largely [circlar] circular and secured in said [channel] recess by adhesives and or adhesives with additives; said adhesives including but not limited to Epoxy, Resin, Polyester, and Water, based adhesives; with said additives including but not being limited to saw dust, iron oxide, semi precious minerals, graphite, fiberglass, kevlar, or powdered metals; said recess not conforming in shape to said largely circular sleeve, said sleeve being breached axially so as to permit tangential connection between a second sleeve or rod, held within [first said sleeve] said first sleeve and a third object

Claim 20, rewrite as Claim 20 [amended] as follows:

20. [amended] An articulated joint or connection as described in claim **19** wherein:

said second sleeve or rod [may] is be formed as an integral part of said third object.

Claim 21, rewrite as Claim 21 [amended] as follows:

21. [amended] An articulated joint or connection as described in claim **19** wherein:

said third object [may] contains a [recess] recess, so that the [second said sleeve] said second sleeve or rod [may be] is affixed within said third object with adhesives, and or adhesives with additives, wherein said [recess] recess in said third object is [in] of similar geometric shape [conformity with] as said second sleeve or rod.

Claim 22, rewrite as Claim 22 [amended] as follows:

22. [amended] An articulated joint or connection as described in claim **19** wherein:

said third object [may] contains a [recess] recess, so that the [second said sleeve] said second sleeve or rod [may be] is affixed within said third object with adhesives, and or adhesives with additives, wherein said [recess] recess in said third object is not [in] of similar geometric shape [conformity with] as said second sleeve or rod.

Claim 23, rewrite as Claim 23 [amended] as follows:

23. [amended] An articulated joint or connection as described in claim **19** wherein:

adhesives and or adhesives with additives are employed between said first sleeve and said second sleeve or rod, held within [first said sleeve] said first sleeve; making said articulated joint to function as a [ridgid] rigid connection between said first and third objects.

REMARKS